

PATENT APPLICATION  
CS8772  
BCS 03-3031

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICATION OF	)	<b>EXPEDITED UNDER 37 CFR 1.116</b>
	)	<b>EXPEDITED PROCEDURE</b>
RALF DUNKEL ET AL	)	<b>ART UNIT: 4121</b>
	)	
SERIAL NO.: 10/576,060	)	EXAMINER: ALICIA L. FIERRO
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FILED: AUGUST 28, 2006	)	CONFIRMATION NO.: 2152
	)	
TITLE: ISOPENTYL CARBOXANILIDES	)	
FOR COMBATING UNDESIRE	)	
MICRO-ORGANISMS	)	

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated November 16, 2009, Applicants respectfully request that the application be reexamined and reconsidered in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks and Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.